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Box PATENT APPLICATION
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Enclosed please find an application for United States patent as identified below:

<u>Inventor/s</u> (name <u>ALL</u> inventors):

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<u>Title</u>: APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF MAC BASED TRANSMISSION IN WDM OPTICAL RING NETWORKS

including the items indicated:

- 1. Specification and 42 claims: 6 indep.; 36 dep.; multiple dep.
- [X] Executed declaration and power of attorney[] Unexecuted declaration and power of attorney
- 3. [X] Formal drawings, 4 sheets (Figs. 1-4) [] Informal drawings, sheets (Figs.)
- 4. [X] Assignment for recording to: ATRICA LTD.
- 5. [] Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

- 6. [X] Check in amount of \$1386.00, (\$1346 filing; \$40 recording) (See attached Fee Computation Sheet)
- 7. [X] Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

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Basic Fee				\$710.00
Total Claims	42 - 20	- 0 = 22	x \$18.00	\$396.00
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